

As a below named inventor, I here to the h that my residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name, and I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the INVENTION ENTITLED ILLUMINATION DEVICE FOR PROJECTION SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR FABRICATING March 8, 2002 as U.S. Application No. _ 10/092,506 the specification of which was filed on I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as allowed . I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in April 13, 2004 37 C.F.R. 1.56. Except as noted below, I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119/365 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate filed by me or my assignee disclosing the subject matter claimed in this application and having a filing date (1) before that of the application on which priority is claimed, or (2) if no priority claimed, before the filing date of this application: PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S) Date first Laid-open **Date Patented or** <u>Number</u> Country <u>Filed</u> **Priority** or Published Granted Claimed

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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